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## *Thinking Out Loud*

By H. M. L.

Every time the Roosevelt administration tries to do something with the commercial air lines, air deaths take a sharp rise. Some years ago, most readers will remember, James Farley at the instance of the administration "cracked down" on commercial air lines, and placed mail carrying in charge of Army pilots. Thirteen young army pilots lost their lives before the administration could be convinced of error.

Since transferring the Aeronautical Authority to the Department of Commerce a few months back, 54 persons have been killed, including pilots and passengers. We don't know whether the President sleeps well o' nights, but we do believe that many men in posts of responsibility would have suffered remorse under the same circumstances.

Putting incompetent politicians in places of authority in this age of science and speed is not only wasteful of billions of dollars, but also wasteful of human life. Just one instance of the crass ineptitude of the political manager of our air services: Under the old authority, no pilot was permitted to leave the ground unless he had a ceiling of 800 feet. Under the new regime the ceiling was reduced to 300 feet, and this, experts believe, will account for most of the passenger plane crashes of recent months. Favored politicians slipped into office, sometimes take a long time to learn their job and at a tremendous cost to the public.

As yet there has been no comment on the tremendous number of air crashes in the army and military services. It may be that during the schooling period, a certain proportion of students must inevitably be sacrificed, but it does seem as if the number were large. But even the deaths among students apparently are less than those among graduate air officers of army and navy. We sometimes wonder whether or not political incompetents have invaded these domains that hitherto have been free of poisonous political favoritism. Those that suspect that politics is wielding undue influence in the armed forces of the country, point to the fact that two of the President's sons stepped into commissions immediately upon passage of the Selective Service Act.

The country clamors for national unity in the present world crisis. But national unity will avail nothing if the government is steadily weakened by appointment of incompetent friends of the administration, to places of great responsibility. Harry Hopkins, it is reported, is soon to fill a high office in the defense program. Here is a man who has proved a dud in every office he has held. One thing he said while head of the WPA that turned out to be true. It was' "We shall elect and elect, tax and tax, and spend and spend." His only virtue is that he is a friend of the President. Because he is a White House favorite he is soon to be intrusted with a hand in the nation's destiny.

We hope devotedly: That Congress will be alert; that Congress will investigate favoritism in placing defense orders; that Congress will investigate the actions of such persons as Palmer, bounced from one department to another and now finally named as head of army housing; in short, we hope that Congress will follow its nose when anything rotten begins to ripen, and expose it to the sunlight of public opinion. Congress can, if it will, "crack down" on all the parasitical stooges that clutter the landscape in Washington by seeing to it they get no public money to play with. The insufferable, silly Ma Perkins, the smart and unscrupulous team of Corcoran and Cohen, the vituperous and press hating Ickes, and lesser fry that spatter and befoul the wings of the Eagle, these the nation could spare from office and go a long way toward securing that unity so much needed in this time of stress.

Mr. and Mrs .Ross Taylor of Downieville and George Taylor of that city were in Nevada City yesterday.

George Hallock, manager of the 16 to 1 Extension Mine at Alleghany, was in Nevada City yesterday.

# Permit Given For Power Plant Construction At Upper Narrows Dam Site

### SACRAMENTO VALLEY UTILITIES WILL PAY GOVERNMENT $1,500,000 FOR PRIVILEGE

Encouraging news to the hydraulic mining industry was received in a telegram to the Nevada City Nugget last night from Congressman Harry L. Englebright.

Englebright's telegram brought the message the Federal Power Commission granted a license to the Sacramento Valley Utility Company for the development of a 13,500 horsepower electric plant to utilize the power from the Upper Narrows Debris Dam.

The power resources from the dam will reduce by $1,500,000 the storage expenses of the hydraulic miners in the San Juan Ridge area.

Englebright's telegram follows:

"Harley M. Leete, Nevada City.

"Federal Power Commission today granted license to Sacramento Valley Utility Company for development of thirteen thousand five hundred horsepower electric power plant to utilize waters from Narrows Hydraulic Mining Dam. Sacramento Valley Utility Company will pay War Department sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars over the period of Federal Power Commission license.

"Under ruling of War Department the one million five hundred thousand dollars contract is to be deducted from cost of construction of Narrows project so that a uniform rate may be set up as the tax cubic yard for storage of debris.

"In other words the one million five hundred thousand dollars to be credited to cost of project and remaining cost of Narrows project is to be paid by tax on debris storage. This will result in greatly reducing cost of storage and should prove of great benefit to hydraulic miners. Arrangements result of law I had passed giving miners benefit of sale of water and power from hydraulic mining dams. Am advised Sacramento Valley Utility Company ready to start construction of power plant as soon as details can be arranged.

HARRY L. ENGLEBRIGHT.

## Thurman Favors Automobiles For State Patrolmen

Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman of this district has informed Secretary H. F. Sofge of the local chamber of commerce he is in favor of highway patrolmen being equipped with automobiles instead of motorcycles.

Thurman, in answer to a query from Sofge on his attitude on efforts by Nevada Countyans to secure automobiles for patrolmen, wrote:

The matter of taking highway patrolmen off of motorcycles and giving them automobiles is one which I have editorially supported in my newspaper. I believe that all patrolmen, especially in the mountain area, should be equipped with automobiles. And I hope some day that all patrolmen can be so equipped. If I can cooperate with you in any such action, I shall be happy to do so."

## ST. PATRICK'S DANCE SATURDAY

A large crowd is expected to attend the St. Patrick's Dance at the Nevada City High School gymnasium Saturday night.

The dance is being sponsored by the St. Canice Catholic Church of this city.

Rollie Barton's orchestra will supply the music for the dance.

### Pennsylvania Mine Shift Boss Dies In Miners Hospital Here

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary in Grass Valley for H. I. James, 32, Pennsylvania Mine shift boss, who died yesterday at the Miners Hospital here following a week's illness.

James had been a resident of Nevada County for the past ten years. He was a native of Cornwall. He was a member of the Mine Workers Protective League.

The deceased leaves his wife, Mrs. Myrtle James, a daughter, Sylvia and relatives in Cornwall.

**Visitor Here—**

Roy Nelson, head machinist for the University of California Press in Berkeley ,was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sofge here this week.

**Down From Arctic—**

Charles Hoskins, employed at the Arctic Mine near Washington, was a visitor here today.

### Construction Of Power Plant May Start Immediately

W. W. Esterly, secretary of the California Hydraulic Mining Association, today said he understands construction of the 13,500 horsepower plant, utilizing the waters of the Upper Narrows Debris Dam, will start immediately.

Frank Bonner, president of the Sacramento Valley Utility Corporation which was granted permission to build the plant by the Federal Power Commission, previously informed California Hydraulic Mining Association officials construction was ready to start as soon as the permit was issued.

Bonner, 100 Manor Drive, Piedmont, was formerly executive secretary of the federa power commission.

**Return From Sacramento—**

Mrs. L. G. Lageson and son, Gordon, have returned from Sacramento, where Lageson, county agricultural commissioner, is in Sutter Hospital recovering from an operation. Lageson is recovering rapidly and will soon return here to convalesce.

## Magician Has Many Tricks In Store For Nevada Cityans

Mystery of the Walking Stick, That Deceptive Egg, The Disappearing Radio, Famed Rabbit from Hat, Learning the Newspaper Miracle, Ringing Alarm Clocks from Nowhere, Mystery of the Floating Light.

Those are just a few of thetricks in store for Nevada Cityans who attend the benefit show at the Nevada City High School Auditorium Monday night, when Magician Lee Grabel will perform.

The proceeds will go toward paying the hospital and medical expenses for Kirk Martin, high school student body president, who was confined to a hospital for a considerable period as the result of injuries suffered in a football game.

Grabel is recognized as one of the outstanding magicians in the world and has appeared for innumerable clubs, organizations, churches, colleges and schools. His programs have been successful in all parts of the nation.

Grabel appeared recently under the auspices of the University of California at huge Harmon Gym. Meeting with such great success, he was rebooked for another performance at the Greek Theatre in Berkeley, where he performed before an audience of over 6,000 people.

S. Juhaz Shepard, the greatest authority on magic, claims Grabel to be one of the nation's outstanding magicians.

## *TREE WILL BE MEMORIAL TO JOSEPH O'NEILL*

The Hydraulic Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West of this city, will officiate at a public tree planting ceremony at the local elementary school.

The tree will be a memorial to the late Joe ONeilll, school janitor and officer of the Native Sons Lodge. The planting will be part of the school's Conservation Week activities.

The tree will be planted near the school auditorium. The grammar school chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Carl Libbey, will take part in the ceremonies.

## ROTARY REVIEWS GIRL SCOUTS AT LUNCHEON

This is Girl Scouts week and today's luncheon of the Rotary club was devoted to an entertainment and educational review of the progress the girl scouts are making in Nevada City.

The club donated $50 to the Kirk Martin benefit fund, and in addition, purchased $17 worth of tickets to the magic show which will be given at the High School March 17. Martin, a football player was seriously injured last fall while playing and is still an invalid.

Mrs. Arnold Jackson and Mrs. G. E. Mitchell Girl Scout troop leaders, were present as guests of the club, and delegations from three of the troops demonstrated their work, creed, and training, for the benefit of Rotary.

Mrs. Mitchell in her short address gave a brief history of Girl Scouting, which began the year after the Boy Scouts were organized in 1909. There are now four troops in Nevada City with a total membership of 84, many of whom are second class Girl Scouts. There are three troops from the elementary school and one from the high school.

Twyla Smart and Leona Lotz of Troop 2 presented a little skit entitled "When Girl Scouts Meet." Troop 4's delegation consisted of Vera Stanovich and Barbara Hall who sang "Home On the Range" accompanied smartly on a large accordion by little Ruby Blaich.

Troop 3, of which Mrs. Odgers is leader, was represented by Mildred Dodge and five girls who gave a demonstration of lifting and carrying injured persons, including one overcome by fumes in a fire.

Billy Brownfield, accompanied Genevieve Ellis, played a cello solo very beautifully. They were from Troop 4.

Betty Jacobs, senior Girl Scout, in Troop 4, played two piano selections with marked talent. The pieces were: "The Man I Love," and "I Am An American."

Eileen Merrigan, in a charming red costume tap danced while Mrs. Mitchell played her accompaniment. Her merry manner and twinkling feet won much applause. All the numbers presented by the girls were greatly appreciated by Rotory members.

### Ethel White Will Be New BPWC President

Ethel White was nominated for president of the Business and Professional Women's Club at the meeting here last night.

Mildred Severtson was nominated for vice president; Dixie Rose secretary and Vivian Hustues, treasurer.

The Girl Scout troops of this city presented an interesting program. Mrs. G. E. Mitchell spoke on Girl Scout activities.

### Ranger Stricken Ill Just When Conservation Week Plans Mature

**For many weeks Ranger Anselmo Lewis of the Tahoe Forest worked hard and long on a program of education and publicity for Conservation Week.**

**Conservation Week started last Friday and during this week Lewis was to speak in almost all of the schools in the county. But Sunday he was stricken with appendicitis and taken to the Nevada City Sanitarium for an operation.**

**Ellwood M. Stone of the Tahoe staff had to fill in for Lewis on the speaking engagements.**

# Guerdon Ellis To Be Chamber Head

### TAHOE FOREST SUPERVISOR WILL BE INSTALLED AT ANNUAL MEETING ON MARCH 31ST

Guerdon Ellis, Tahoe National Forest supervisor, who in one year's residence in this community has contributed materially to civic progress, will be the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce's new president.

Ellis was selected head of the chamber by the board of directors of the organization last night. He succeeds Bert Foreman.

H. E. Kjorlie, district superintendent of schools, was elected vice president and H. F. Sofge re-elected secretary.

The new officers will be installed at the chamber's annual dinner, March 31st.

Besides the election of officers, the chamber directors spent several hours in discussing community problems and arranging plans for the dinner.

The directors decided to operate the chamber on a budget basis and plans were discussed for the drawing up of the budget.

The directors hope to make the March 31st dinner meeting the most successful in the history of the local chamber and special invitations will be issued to those prominent in the mining, business and civic life of Nevada County.

The directors choice of Supervisor Ellis as president was generally received with acclaim among the residents of the city today. Since coming here from the Trinity Forest to succeed DeWitt Nelson, Ellis has been active in the chamber of commece and other organizations in this city.

## Chamber Folder To Be Profusely Illustrated

The Nevada City Chamber of Commerce's folder is expected to be ready for publication in two or three weeks.

The folder, which will be profusely illustrated with photos, will advertise the recreational, fishing, hunting, skiing, historical, scenic, and mining aspects of this area.

Five thousand of the folders will be printed at the start and possibly an additional number later. The folders will be distributed in Reno, along Highway 20 and Highway 40 and other places where it will attract the attention of tourists.

Two pages of the inside of the folder will be devoted to an illustrated map. H. E. Kjorlie is chairman of the committee completing details for the publication of the folder.

### Meeting To Organize Garden Club Held Today At National

A meeting was held at the National Hotel here this afternoon for the purpose of organizing a garden club.

Mrs. Paul Kemper acted as the temporary chairman. Those present included Mrs. Fred Scatena, state president of California Garden Club, Inc., Mrs. E. V. Farrar, director of district eight and Mrs. E. R. Brazel, district chairman of organization and membership.

The proposal to organize a garden club here was in response to a growing demand among garden enthusiasts for instructions in plant culture flower arrangement and civic beautification.

### Examination For Firefighters Will Be Held In Oroville

An examination for forest firefighter, open to men residents of Butte, Yuba, Nevada, Placer, Sierra, Cousa, Glenn and Sutter Counties, will be held in Oroville on April 2, between the hours of 1 and 4 p. m. at the state foresty office.

The salary will be $85 per month. The duties will include general manual labor involved in fire control and general maintenance work, clearing trails, cutting brush, doing pick and shovel work, fighting fires, building roads, telephone lines and minor structures.

The purpose of the examination is to supplement existing eligible lists with eligibles willing to accept employment during the 1941 fire season in the district in or near which they live.

### Funeral Held For Retired Engineer

Final rites were conducted at the Holmes Funeral Home here today for Joseph Kennedy, 79, retired railroad engineer, who died Tuesday at a local hospital. Kennedy was a former resident of Truckee.

Rev. David Ralston of the Methodist Church officiated at the services. Interment was in the Pine Grove Cemetery.

## SCHOOL STUDENTS TO HEAR SHERIFF

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen will speak to the Grass Valley Evening School Forum this Thursday evening on "The Effect of the Civilian Defense Program on Grass Valley and Vicinity". The sheriff is in a key position due to the post he holds in county government and his contact with state and national defense program discussed at recent peace officers meetings he has attended. He is keenly interested in the topic and will bring to the forum a wealth of valuable material.

A round table discussion will follow his talk and all are invited to attend and participate.

### Organ Selected For Hydraulic Association

The Mining and Industrial News has been selected by the California Hydraulic Mining Association as its official publication. The Mining and Industrial News, published in San Francisco, is the official organ also of the Gold Mining Association of America and Mining Association of California.

The decision to abandon the Hydraulic Miner, which had been published by the hydraulic association for more than a year, was reached at a recent meeting. At that time a committee was selected to study plans for the continuation of presenting the news of the hydraulic industry and to notify the members each month of meeting dates.

Several mining publications signified willingness to be the official organ of the hydraulic mining association. The Mining and Industrial News was selected at the association meeting in Auburn Saturday night. Each member of the hydraulic body will receive a copy each month.

**Feature Writer Here—**

Sam Jackson, feature writer for the Associated Press, was in Nevada City Tuesday gathering data for a story on hydraulic mining.

## Rites Held Yesterday For Late Mrs. Imogene M. Henwood

Scores attended the final rites at the Holmes Funeral Home yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Imogene M. Henwood, 41, assistant county welfare agent, whose sudden death Monday came as a distinct shock to the entire community.

Mrs. Henwood had been in ill health but was recovering satisfactorily. Death was due to a heart condition.

The deceased was born at Scotts Flat on December 4, 1899, the daughter of William Curtis and Mrs. Clemente Muscardini. She spent her entire life in this district.

Her husband, the late Larsen R. Henwood, died in 1935. Mrs. Henwood was appointed as assistant to Welfare Agent E. B. Dudley by the board of supervisors more than a year ago.

She was an active member of the Business and Progessional Women's Club.

Besides her parents she leaves two children, Joyce and Clemente Henwood of this city, a sister, Mrs. Al Joyner of Grass Valley and two brothers, Elisha and Cecil Curtis of Bowman.

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## *Glorifies Human Spirit*

The American country town paper rests entirely on the theory of the dignity of the human spirit. It emphasizes the individual. For instance, here is an item: "John Jones is in town today with the first load of hay from the third cutting of alfalfa." That item is the alpha and omega of small town journalism. It dignifies John Jones. It dignifies labor. It dignifies small business. And now, Mrs. Jones has the first forsythia out in her Emporia garden—that's a news item. We're glorifying Mr. Jones, making the Joneses proud to be Joneses, to cut themselves hay; to have a beautiful individual garden. Upon that glorification rests the American country newspaper and, incidentally, the American democracy.—William Allen White.

## *Wakefield Moves Up*

resident Roosevelt has appointed a Californian, Ray C. Wakefield of Fresno, as a member of the federal communications commission. Wakefield since 1937 has been a member of the state railroad commission, having been appointed to that post by Governor Merriam.

Wakefield, if confirmed by the U. S. senate, will serve for seven years on the important federal body which has control over radio and other forms of communication. The position is a most important one and a recognition of California in the making of the appointment.

California also seeks representation on the U. S. supreme court, where a vacancy is soon to be filled. This would be an even more important appointment for the west coast and one that has been agitated for some years. The Wakefield selection, however, may be used by the president as an excuse to appoint another easterner to the high court.

Some years ago Clyde Seavey, was elevated from the state railroad commission to a position on the federal power commission. Seavey has been reappointed and is making a name for himself in the federal service. If Wakefield does as ably, the new appointment will be a happy one for the nation and for the west.

When Californians are named to high positions the people of the Pacific coast like to see them make good in their new jobs. It is a credit to them, and to the west.

## *Gin Law Not Satisfactory*

Statistics prepared for the legislature reveal that California last year had only 46,564 marriages as compared with 28,949 in Nevada. California has a population of nearly seven millions. Nevada counts only 110,247 souls. The conclusion is obvious, Nevada is taking away California's marriage business. The reason is the three day wait between the declaration of intention to marry and the issuance of the wedding license.

Back in 1937 when the so-called "gin marriage" law was adopted California had 53,471 marriages as compared with 2428 in Nevada. This state now shows fewer while the next door neighbor has climbed all out of proportion to the number that it should have. The Reno divorce helps swell the Nevada totals, but the greater number of Nevada marriages are by couples going across the border from California.

The gin law has never proved satisfactory. Its purpose was to prevent couples from going on a drinking party and winding up in matrimony—to regret the step as soon as the effects of the intoxicants wore off. Now they can do their drinking, drive into Nevada and be married there. The distance by automobile can be covered in less than four hours from Sacramento—six hours from San Francisco. California is foolish in keeping the gin law on the books. Repeal will stimulate marriages in California, keep the people at home where they belong.—C. J. Lilley in Sacramento Union.

## *Aviation's Future*

The war is stimulating plane production and after it ends more people will turn to the skies for travel purposes.

Anticipating the demand for sky service, Henry Ford talks of manufacturing airplane flivvers for private use. These will be light in construction, be so designed that they can take off from a small area and light in one. Possibly the plane owner may keep his flivver ship in his own back yard and start and end his flights there. Compare aviation today with what it was in World War times. Then look 20 years into the future and try to imagine what it will be like then.

George Bernard Shaw says the only happy people are those in the cemeteries. It's too bad Shaw is so unhappy.

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## JUST WONDERIN'

I wonder at catch words and phrases,
They've learned with incredible speed,
And then upon every occasion
They serve us as precept and creed;
We use to bolster our courage
And win Lady Luck to our side,
And in all of our ready made thinking,
We take an inordinate pride.

I wonder if the popular game of hitch hiking, finds its similitude in certain process of thought, which, for lack of a better term, we might call hitch thinking.

The hitch hiker wishes to go somewhere, but having no conveyance of his own, is obliged to thumb a ride of short or long duration and so, finally arrives at the desired destination.

Upon many occasions the hitch thinker wishes to express himself but having no thought conveyances of his own, is constrained to make use of ready made ones and so for the time being, becomes semi-articulate.

It is perfectly amazing to find how far the hitch thinker can go with words like, smart, swell, tops and others of their caliber—especially if "sure" is used before each one and spoken with impressive emphasis.

Given a small collection of catch phrases, the hitch thinker becomes rather loquacious. A few years ago every one with a grain of ambition was a "go-getter," every man who caroused, even mildly, was a "good fellow," and every aggregation of chorus girls was a "gorgeous, glittering galaxy." These old vehicles of expression have now been replaced by ready made ones which the younger generations have learned to use with the greatest facility.

There are also many curious little merry go rounds upon which one's thought may go around, world without end, amen. These little devices come highly recommended. They will, it is asserted, if ridden long enough bring us health, wealth and general well being. We all remember this one: "Every day in every way I'm getting better and better." A friend of mine started out with it one bright spring day and was well on her way to mental distraction when she was struck by a golf ball and so seriously injured, that hospitalization was necessary. Yes, she recovered, but her trend of thought has never since been the same.

Would it be well to remove scores of these ready made thought carriers from our linguistic thoroughfares, stop hitch thinking and put our thoughts into vehicles which we, ourselves have contrived? I "sure" believe it would.

I wonder if bird lovers everywhere will now utter jeremaids. It would do them no good, for—there's a bird on Elenor's new hat and every little imitator in the land will hasten to plant something defunct on her new Easte bonnet. Poor example, Elenor, still, in a world where killing has become the order of the day, how could a mere bird hope to escape?

Uncle Silas says: "If all the congressional oratory could be solidified, it would form a good foundation for a modern Tower of Babel." —A. MERRIAM CONNER.

## SACRAMENTO JR. COLLEGE OFFERS AERIAL COURSES

Civil pilot training is again being offered during the spring semester at the Sacramento Junior College according to Hilton F. Lusk, co-ordinator in the aeronauthics department. The college is one of the few selected to give three phases of this Civil Pilot Training.

Two courses, the private (preliminary) and the restricted commercial (secondary) are offered as a part of the regular college curriculum. Credit is given for the ground school work. These are listed in the schedule of classes as Aero 2 and Aero 3, respectively.

The private course prepares the training for the private pilot certificates and includes 72 hours of ground school and 35-50 hours of flying. The restricted commercial prepares students for the restricted commercial certificate and includes 126 hours of ground school and 45-50 hours of advanced flying.

Eligibility requiements include U. S. citizenship, ability to pass CPT physical examination, and a pledge of service in army or navy corps if and when needed. The applicant must be between the ages of 19 and 26 inclusive.

In addition to the above requirements, certain educational qualifications must be met. Trainees will be chosen to fill the quotas on the basis of scholarship records achieved in previous college work.

Students who are interested are urged to make advance application on special coupon forms. Official applications will not be taken until the beginning of the spring semester, but the special forms are requested as means of surveying the locality in order to plan for these new courses.

Further information and special advance application for the courses may be obtained by writing to Hilton F. Lusk, co-ordinator, Aeronautics Department, Sacramento Junior College.

## PROFESSOR SAYS JAPAN NEEDS STERN REBUKE

Continued Japanese aggression in the Far East can be expected so long as other powers continue to refrain from using force or threat of force to stop her. Dr. Charles R. Hicks, head of the University of Nevada history and political science department, told a meeting of the faculty club last week.

"Nothing but fear will stop Japan," he declared, after having pointed out that to date Japan had been given no cause for fear by the United States, England or any other power.

An authority on oriental affairs, Professor Hicks lived in Japan for two years. He teaches the university course in far eastern history.

In his talk, Dr. Hicks traced the course of Japan's attack upon China, stating that since her invasion of Manchuria in 1931 she has been steadily violating treaties and pacts without receiving more than diplomatic protests from the other governments involved.

He quoted Admiral Yarnell as saying that "Japan has systematically violated American rights and injured American interests, and she may be expected to continue this course if allowed to carry out her avowed policy of creating a "new order in Eastern Asia."

"American treaty rights will diminish to the point of extinction," said the historian, "and the Open Door in China will be marked 'For Exit Only'."

Japan's Manchurian grab was the beginning of a new era of rule by force which followed the years of peace after the World War, according to Dr. Hicks.

The League of Nations protested, and Japan replied by withdrawing from the league; the United States protested, but England "enfeebled by the mental and moral paralysis which incapacitated her until after Munich," refused to cooperate with us against Nippon, he said.

"Thus Japan in 1931-32 was the first nation to upset the hopes of the world for peace based upon international agreements" Dr. Hicks declared.

"She violated the provisions of the League of Nations, of the Nine-Power Treaty, and the Kellog Pact. She made obvious to all the impotence of peaceful nations when faced by the acts of one defiant state bent upon self-aggrandizement."

Japan now has her eyes on the rich Netherlands East Indies—needing its sugar, rubber, oil, tin, coal and iron—and she will take them by force, if necessary, the speaker added.

Only combined American and the English force can prevent this, he said. We cannot isolate ourselves from the affairs of the world, in the opinion of Dr. Hicks. The world will not let us, he believes.

"Hitler and the Mikado will win—or lose—together," he said. "Japan seems to be our baby. And the baby needs a spanking."

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## WITH YOUR ASSEMBLYMAN THURMAN AT THE STATE CAPITOL

THURMAN

Your state legislature again got under way last week following the constitutional recess and while there may be differences of opinion on such matters as taxation and the budget, the legislators do appear agreed that this session will not be the long drawn out affair that the last regular session was. The 1939 session lasted 151 days plus special sessions in 1940 totaling 40 days. This session however, the legislators are starting out like they intended to speed up somewhat and eliminate unnecessary delays. Already several bills have been passed in both houses while some measures have been killed in committee. If the committees function as they should and only pass out measures which have merit the work of the two houses will be speeded up considerably.

One measure which was killed in committee last week was A B. 953 by Assemblyman Robertson. This bill would have repealed a section of the Military and Veterans code relating to an appropriation for war veteran dependents. The measure was ordered tabled in committee by the author. Your assemblyman, as a member of the Soldiers and Sailors Affairs committee had received a number of letters protesting this measure and we are happy to report that it has been tabled and as a result, no further action on the bill will be taken. All veterans organizations and their auxiliaries opposed the measure.

A rather vicious bill that affected the mining industry was introduced in the closing hours of the January session. The bill, A. B. 2006 by Desmond and Cain, provides for regulation and control as well as licensing of all mining operations on streams furnishing water for domestic use to cities and water districts. You can be assured that your representatives from the mining districts will oppose this bill most strenuously.

The writer has received numerous letters from sportsmen regarding a number of fire arms bills which have been introduced as so-called defense measures. We believe that we can safely say that all such legislation will be opposed by the numerous sportsmen who are members of the legislature.

Your assemblyman has also received numerous letters from people residing in the district relative to matters which they favor or oppose. We have endeavored to reply either by letter or card to all of these communications and wish to reiterate here that all such communications will be given our careful consideration.

The question of whether to reduce taxes is still being discussed and there is quite a difference of opinion among the legislators regarding the matter. But whether taxes are reduced or not, the budget is certain to be reduced.

One thing which the people can depend upon as far as this legislature goes, is that the legislators are going to do all in their power to curtail unnecessary spending in the operation of your state government.

Daughter—"Father, this gallant young man just saved me from drowning."

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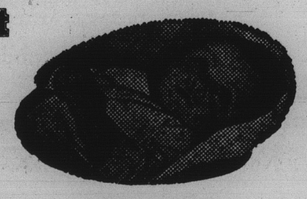

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# ECONOMY BLOC TO CUT BUDGET BY $20-MILLIONS

By T. M. BRIGHT
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, March 13.—(UP)—Determined to effect a $20,000,000 cut, the assembly ways and means committee attacked Gov. Olson's $552,570,000 budget on every front but at the end of a week of hearings the only definite action was removal of a $37,858,000 state relief administration request.

However, by withdrawing the request and agreeing to provide relief appropriations with individual bills for each year of the biennium the committee took a step in line with the program to abolish the SRA after July 1.

Chairman Seth Millington's committee, holding day and night sessions, nearly completed its task of hearing all requests in one week. Only a few departments remained to present their budgets and indications were that an early report could be expected on the budget bill.

Committee members nearly all of whom are Olson foes, directed their sharpest criticism toward proposed increases in personnel, new automobiles, traveling expenses, telephone and telegraph costs and departmental agents and publications.

The committee threw into doubt the future of the proposed $1,000,000 state emergency fund after Penology Director John Gee Clark informed the committee that $14,500 was transferred from the fund for work in San Quentin prison during the current biennium.

Millington declared that such expenditure was not authorized and accused Olson of abusing the fund. He said:

"It seems to me the only way we can control the expenses of this state is to abolish the emergency fund. We now find the governor and the department of finance have treated our economies with complete contempt. This beats anything I've ever heard of."

Predicting possible adjournment by May 1, Assembly Speaker Gordon Garland suggested that tax rates be reduced at the present session. He contends that while no harm can come from a small deficit, a surplus often tempts the government to extravagance.

The Phillips-Daley joint fact-finding committee on relief and a subcommittee of the assembly governmental officiency group also met. The former group ordered acting state relief administrator Ralph Wakefield to investigate relief aid to striking lemon pickers in Ventura county while the assembly group studied building and loan reorganization bills in the light of the Pacific States Savings and Loan case.

After appearing before the Phillips-Daley group, Wakefield announced a drastic curtailment in SRA administration personnel, including a reduction of the present 16 administrative areas to ten. He estimated the savings would amount to many thousands of dollars.

The state department of finance prepared an audit which it turned over to Attorney General Earl Warren for study, charging the state controller's office rented valuable tax deeded properties for only a small part of their earning capacity and paid large commissions to rental agents.

The audit applies only to a period prior to last July 1. State Controller Harry B. Riley declared that civil service employes since have been hired for the rental work. The assembly committee on governmental efficiency and economy plans to investigate the case.

Riley reported during the week that the state's financial statement for the first seven months of the present fiscal year is written almost entirely in black ink. During the period, he said the state government spent $4,954,039 less than it took in. Revenues were $10,047,362 greater than in the corresponding period a year ago, and expenditures were $18,128,260 less.

For the fiscal year ending last June 30, California took in $296,594,616, its largest income in history, Riley reported, However, he said the cost of running the state government exceeded income by more than $20,000,000.

With the national guard scheduled for induction March 3, military interest was high. Brigidier-General R. E. Mittelsctaedt was granted a leave of absence by Governor Olson from his post as adjutant general, to go to camp with the national guard. Col. J. O. Donovan of Los Angeles was appointed to succeed him as state director of selective service and also will be acting adjutant general during Mittelstaedt's absence.

Selective service has assigned 26,389 California young men for military service through March, leaving only 11,628 to be called by the end of June as rapidly as camp facilities become available. Quotas under the fourth call for the state's local draft boards were announced thtis week. It is not known whether the remaining 11,628 men will be called all at one time or whether there will be several draft calls.

# WORLD NEEDS POLICE FORCE TO KEEP THE PEACE

BERKELEY, March 13.—To have a society that will remain at peace and function efficiently, the world will eventually create an international police force, says Dr. Knight Dunlap, professor of psychology on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California.

He pointed out that an international police force is as necessary to the world as it is to any individual nation saying, "only the physical force of the police and the army, backed by the force of the citizenry, maintains law and order and enables us to enjoy the rights and priviliges we do enjoy."

That the nations of the west will form a federated group is certain, he predicted. Smaller groups have always merged in larger, and the larger, in still larger, although premature consolidation by conquest, as by the empire builders from the Persians to the Russians, has not been permanent. This progress of social organization will abolish war or at least reduce it to the status of incidental crime to which fighting between indviduals and between the smaller groups has been reduced.

Dr. Dunlap points out that postwar settlements usually fail because responsible nations neglect subsequently to apply force to maintain the settlements. Only an international police force will be able to guarantee the peaceful solution of economic and social problems after the present conflict ceases, he believes.

"There is not, and cannot be, any question of the supremacy of might as compared with right. There are three courses which individuals and nations alike must choose: the craven course of refusing to use what might they have, the criminal course of using might in the course of injustice, greed and destruction, and the moral or civilized course of employing might in the service of right."

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# AIRCRAFT JOBS EASE CALIFORNIA RELIEF BURDEN

SACRAMENTO March 13. — As 2,000 new aircraft plant employes climb into their work clothes each week, the consequent rise in payrolls is reflected on relief rolls.

With the legislature studying the possibility that fewer tax dollars will be needed for the relief budget, an Aircraft Information Bureau survey showed 80,500 men at work in seven major aircraft factories. These are the factories of: Consolidated, Douglas, Lockheed North American, Northrup, Ryan and Vultee.

In these plants alone, 2,000 new names are added to the payrolls weekly. And in accessory, supply and mateerials companies thousands more are working on national defense production.

Of vital concern to every community in California, because of the relief burden, this defense stimulated transition from relief rolls to payrolls has become a major consideration for the state's budget makers in session here. Every dollar cut from the relief rolls, without causing suffering, is a dollar saved for taxpayers of California.

Data compiled by several reliable sources shows California employment at the highest level in history. For every 100 men at work a year ago, 134 were at work last month.

Because of the increased number working in manufacturing plants and the pay increases, statewide figures show that for each dollar paid in wages last year, $1.52 is paid in wages this year. Average weekly earnings in California rose from $31.80 in December and $28.42 in January of 1940, to $32.42 currently.

Workers in California averaged nearly 39.7 hours a week on the job an increase from 36.7 hours a week a year ago. This 8 per cent increase in hours a week work throughout the state is partly accounted for by the overtime work done in the aircraft business in the drive to rearm the country with fighter airplanes.

In addition to the increased hours of work a week, the aircraft industry has 227 men at work for every 100 it had last year.

In the three most populous counties of the state the new boost in employment was shown. In San Francisco manufacturing employment was up 27 per cent, and payrolls were up 34 per cent. In Alameda county employment was up 23 per cent with payrolls increased 34 per cent. In Los Angeles county employment in manufacturing plants was up 36 per cent and payrolls were up 52 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 13.—A backlog of $1,274,890,000 in aircraft orders, upon which nearly 80,500 men are working day and night shows California's contribution to national defense according to the Aircraft Information Bureau.

To transform this all time high in orders into air armament the California manufacturers have called upon the reserves of man power and the facilities of manufacturing plant throughout the state.

Although further plant expansion is being made to meet unprecedented demands for aircraft, California builders already have 7,682,163 sq. feet of floor space upon which airplanes now are being produced. A year ago the total floor space for the entire country was 11,983,896 square feet. These figures do not include the smaller plants which are supplying parts and materials to the airplane builders.

### GROWING WINGS

2,000 new workers are being employed each week in California aircraft lants, according to an aircraft information bureau survey.

80,500 workers are now engaged in building defense planes at the California plants of Consolidated, Douglas, Lockheed, North American, Northrup, Ryan and Vultee.

134 men are working in California today for every 100 at work last year, an employment increase in which aircraft construction plays a major part.

$1.52 in wages is being earned by California workmen for each $1 earned last year.

39.7 hours was the average work week for California in January, compared to 36.7 hours a year earlier.

# POLES UPROOTED FROM HOMES TO DO FORCED LABOR

BERKELEY, March 13.—Central Poland was described here as an "overseas colony of Germany on the Continent" by Dr. Oscar Halecki, Polish historian who left Paris two jumps ahead of the German army.

Dr. Halecki, who lectured at the University of California said the central portion of Poland, which has not been Germanized, is being exploited more ruthlessly than an overseas colony.

"Hundreds of thousands of Poles have been uprooted from their homes in western Poland and sent into this central area," Dr. Halecki said. "Polish industry is located in this area, and the Poles have been put to work producing for Germany."

Dr. Halecki said, however, that the Polish populace is united, and believe their nation will again be free. He said that passive resistance to the Germans is continuous and widespread.

The Polish historian also stated that Soviet Russia has exiled to Siberia half a million Poles of the intellectual and upper classes in Soviet occupied Poland.

Dr. Halecki, now a member of the faculty of Vassar College, was a member of the faculty at the University of Krakow, from 1918 until the invasion of Poland in September, 1939. He was in Switzerland at the time of the invasion and went immediately to Paris.

Earnings of railroad employees in amount each worker received 25 years ago.

## LEGAL NOTICES

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# DEMANDS REPEAL OF 3-DAY-WAIT MARRIAGE LAW

SACRAMENTO, March 13.—(UP)—Assemblyman Earl Desmond of Sacramento today said he would press his demand for repeal of the three day "gin marriage" law because it was boosting Nevada marriage at the expense of California.

The gin marriage law, enacted in 1927 to curb hasty marriages, was a principal factor in increasing Nevada marriages from 2,428 in 1927 to 28,949 in the 1939-40 fiscal year, Desmond said.

Desmond declared the state department of health showed another increase in Nevada marriages as the result of the California pre-marital health examination law passed in 1939. California marriages slacked off from 64,397 during 1937 to 46,564 in 1940.

The tabulation of Nevada marriages shows the trend, Desmond declared, which were as follows starting in 1937: 2528, 4540, 5787, 6089, 7630, 9711, 8708, 9799, 11,402, 13,987 14,250, 16,128 and 28,949 in 1939-40.

Showing the ratio of marriages and population, Desmond pointed out that Nevada had 28,949 marriages and 110,000 population, whereas California had only 46,564 weddings out of a population of 6,907,387.

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Following the dinner, dancing will be held thoughout the evening in an elaborately decorated hall. Dennis Coughlan is in charge of the decorating.

Hobart Childers is the general chairman of the Antlers committee arranging for the event, which proved so popular last year. Fred Garrison is in charge of the music committee.

# Nevada City Church News

## BETHANY CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Christ Ambassadors 6:45 p. m. Miss Rosemary Hummel speaker. Evangelistic service 7:30 p. m.

For some time we have felt the need of two mid-week services instead of just one. It will be announced at the Sunday services if our new schedule of services will begin next week. We once again wish to invite everyone to attend sevices at Bethany. Come old, come young, rich or poor.

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

**MEEKNESS**

The higher we are placed, the more humbly should we walk.
—Cicero

God hath sworn to lift on high
Who sinks himself by true humility.
—John Keble.

The higher a man is in grace, the lower he will be in his own esteem.
—Spurgeon

Meekness, moderating human desire, inspires wisdom and procures divine power. —Mary Baker Eddy.

Meekness is imperfect if it be not active and passive, leading us to subdue our own passions and resentments, as well as to bear patiently the passions and resentments of others. —Foster.

Blessed are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth. Matthew 5:5

## TRINITY EPISCOPAL

8:30 —Breakfast communion for those who were confirmed last week.

10:00 —Church school.

11:15—Morning prayer and sermon. Mrs. Carl Libbey will direct the choir with Miss Mary Libbey at the organ.

H. THOMAS PATEMAN, Rector.

## Clyde Gwin Returns From S. F. Hospital

Clyde Gwin, executive office of the Tahoe National Forest who had been convalescing from an illness at the Fort Miley Veterans Hospital in San Francisco, returned to his home here yesteday.

Gwin will resume his duties at the forest service office here soon. He attended the Rotary Club meeting today. Gwin is a past president of the Rotary Club.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services at 114 Boulder Street every Sunday at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Testimonial meeting the first Wednesday of each month at 8 p. m.

"For ever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven. Thy faithfulness is unto all generations." These words from Psalms comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, March 16, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Substance." Included among the Scriptural selections will be: "Thy throne is established of old: thou art from everlasting—The Lord on high is mightier than the noise of many waters, yea, than the mighty waves of the sea. Thy testimonies are very sure: holiness becometh thine house, O Lord, for ever" (Psalms 93; 2, 4, 5.)

The following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included: "It is a false supposition, the notion that there is real substance-matter, the opposite of Suirit. Spirit, God, is infinite, all. Spirit can have no opposite. That matter is substantial or has life and sensation, is one of the false beliefs of mortals, and exists only in a supposititious mortal consciousness. Matter with its mortality, cannot be substantial if Spirit is substantial and eternal" (p. 278.)

## CATHOLIC CHURCH

Two masses will be held at the St. Canice Catholic Church. The first mass will be at 8 a. m. and the second at 10 a. m. Father Patrick O'Reilly and Father Edward Williams will be in charge of the services.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Bring the children. There are classes for all ages. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Organ prelude. Miss Sue Hawkins Introit choir. Hymn 4. O Worship the King, congregation, Prayer, pastor. Scripture reading. Responsive Scripture reading. Offering and offertory. Vocal solo, Selected. Mrs. Betty Brown. Hymn 255. True-Hearted, Whole-Hearted, congregation. Sermon, Substitutes that Failed, pastor. Hymn 184. Come Every Soul by Sin Oppressed, congregation. Closing prayer, benediction, doxology. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Preaching service at 7 p. m. Bring the number of your choice hymns and we shall try to sing them with you. Special music. Sermon Seven Ways of Entering Into the Kingdom, pastor. Report of Dr. Stanley Jones preaching in San Francisco. Do not miss this service.

Week events—Orchestra practice Monday at 7 p. m. Johnny Blamey, conductor. Bible study and prayer hour Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. May Lane will bring the message. Choir practice Wednesday and Friday at 7 p. m. We find it necessay to have two practices each week before Easter. All members of the choir and those who would help us, kindly come to the practices. There will be a choir practice Friday at 7:30 p. m. Young people's prayer hour Thursday evening.

## LIBRARY BOOKS BORROWED IN FEBRUARY, 2033

Mrs. Iva Williamson Nevada City librarian has rendered her report for February.

The number of books borrowed was 2033; fiction 1537; juvenile 269; miscellaneous 227; books borrowed from state library 5.

Visitors to the reading rooms 1.246; men 413; women 118; boys 381; girls 334; number of borrowers 1074; total attendance 2320; daily attendance 101.

Cards issued 16 adult and 5 juvenile; cards cancelled 4 adult and 2 juvenile, a gain of ten.

Books purchased 15; books donated 2; books discarded 9; present accession 1586.

Following is a list of the books purchased. Widow by Courtesy, Georgia Craig; Feeding the Family, Mary S. Rose; As The Twig is Bent, Leslie B. Holman; There's Only One, Alice R. Colver; Uncharted Romance, Mary Howard; Reflections in a Golden Eye, Carson McCullers; No Murder of Mine, Alice Campbell; The Blue Cloak, Temple Bailey; Ace in the Hole, Jackson Gregory; Lance Falls in Loce, Louise Platt Hauck; Keep Murder Quiet, Jepsen Schoyer; Sain in Miami, Leslie Charteris; The Singing Hil. B. M. Bowers; Readers Digest Books, edited by Readers Digest and Roberts Rules or Order Revised, Gen. Henry M. Roberts.

We received a small handbook entitled How to Crash Broadway, from the author, Louise Howard.

## JUNIOR COLLEGE TO TRAIN POLICE

Designed to give future peace officers the essentials of gunnery and criminal detection, the newly-begun police training courses at the Sacramento Junior College boasts of 18 members in ts first semester.

The Junior College is the second school in California to establish a training school, for future law-enforcers, the first being San Jose State College. Willard Schmidt, formerly of the San Jose faculty, is in charge of the Junior College course.

Among the subjects taken by enrollees during the two semesters of training include orientation, physical education, police theory, chemistry, police field work, gunnery and courses in business, English, and communications. Specific police courses also included are for descriptions of persons and property, report writing and notes, police science and criminal investigation.

Cooperation is given the training students by the cosmetology department, the cafeteria, custodians, and the department of metal technology, all helpful in scientific criminal investigation.

Applicants must be 150 pounds or over, be over five feet nine inches tall, and have a high standard of physical and mental health and ability. The course is co-educational, classes for the training of police women also being offered.

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## INTERIOR DEPT. IN MAN HUNT

SACRAMENTO, March 13.—(UP)—The U. S. department of the interior is conducting in California and other western states one of the largest and most widespread "man hunts" on record, according to a report received here from Washington.

The hunt is being conducted by the department in connection with its work in making available more than 8,000,000 acres in public domain for national defense purposes. The search is for approximately 50,000holders of early mining claims in the west.

The task, which in some instances involves the tracing of claim ownership dating back more than 70 years is one of the most unusual and complex in the department's activities.

It is estimated search for approximately 30,000 individuals may have to be made before the task is completed. Already, several thousand persons have been sought in connection with negotiations involving the 500,000 acre Muroc army bombing range in California.

**SELLS MINING INTEREST**

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The ad was run for three days.

**"After the War, What?"**

That will be the topic of Stephen Barooshian's address tonight at the Nevada City Elementary School, the second of a series of lectures of the Nevada City Forum.

Barooshian, professor of history at the Placer Junior Colege, is one of the most interesting speakers on international relations in Northern California and it is expected a large crowd will be present to hear his lecture.

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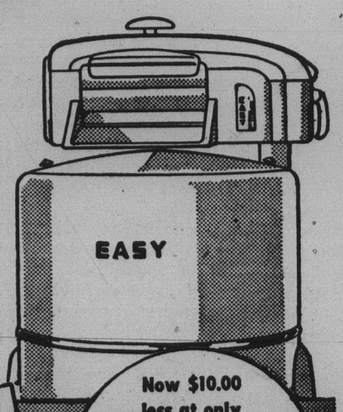


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# WEEK OF MUCH ACTIVITY AT LOCAL SCHOOL

A full week of conservation activities will come to a close with tomorrow's school day at the Nevada City Elementary School. The Conservation Week arrangements were made by Mr. Tuxford and Miss Ramm.

At a general assembly Tuesday motion pictures and slides were shown by the Tahoe Forest and talks given by Dick Rafferty and Ellwood H. Stone.

Yesterday was yard cleanup day. The fifth and sixth grade pupils cleared the yards and surrounding areas of paper and litter; the seventh grade planted creeper vines along the fence and the eighth grade pupils cleared the yard of oversized rocks.

Miss Ramm's room presented a conservation program as today's feature of Conservation Week. Tomorrow a public tree planting ceremony will be held.

School Chorus Active—The school chorus has had one of its best seasons yet, having made 5 public appearances this year. They have appeared at: Sacramento Principal's Association, Christmas Caroling, P. T. A., Elks Defense Program, and B. P. W. C. at Grass Valley last weekend.

Class Dancing—The Elementary P. T. A. ladies announce that their project of having the 8th grade dance and understand the social grades that go with a dance is coming along much better than anticipated. Mrs. Gwinn, Mrs. Jones, and Mrs. McLaughlin are running the weekly dance schedule.

School Attendance—Cecil Klee, vice-principal of the elementary school announces that the school attendance is about normal for this time of the year. There have been whooping cough and measles last month. The eighth grade won the monthly rating with 96 per cent.

Basketball Schedule Underway—The basketball league is well underway at the elementary school with the Devil Cats in the lead. They have won 5 games and lost none. Walter Hawkins is high point man.

Poster Contest — Many pupils of the elementary school have entered the Forest Service Poster contest for the city schools. The winner will have a trip thrugh the Tahoe Forest this summer. There will also be second awards and honorable mentions.

# PHILADELPHIA STORY AT NEV. THEATRE SUNDAY

Cary Grant, Katherine Hepburn and James Stewart form the perfect starring comedy team in "The Philadelphia Story," picturization of the hilarious Phillip Barry New York stage success, which comes Sunday to the Nevada Theatre for an engagement of two days.

Each has a made to order role. Grant plays Miss Hepburn's ex-husband, who turns up when she is about to be wedded again. Miss Hepburn is the girl who demands perfection in a husband and has to learn that it can't be had. She played the role for fifty two solid laugh weeks on Broadway. Stewart is seen as a keyhole magazine reporter, sent to cover the wedding, who also falls in love with the girl. Every line of dialogue is a funny-bone tickler, with all three sharing the amusing situations as Grant tries to win Miss Hepburn back, while Stewart finds himself in the middle. Played against a background of high Philedalphia society life, the action comedy was directed by George Cukor.

### SKI CLUB WILL MEET AT NATIONAL HOTEL TOMORROW NIGHT

Dwight Steele, president of the Nevada City Ski Club, urges a large attendance at the meeting which will be held tomorrow night at the National Hotel. Ski photos will be shown as well as snow sports conditions and other matters discussed.

### CONSERVATION WAS TOPIC

Conservation in Nevada County was the topic of Supervisor Guerdon Ellis' address at the meeting of the Women's Civic Club here Tuesday at the Elementary School Auditorium.

The Girl Scouts of this city presented a short program for the entertainment of the Civic Club members.

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## VITAL STATISTICS

### BIRTHS

PUTMAN — At the Nevada City Sanitarium, March 10, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Putman of Camptonville, a daughter.

WILLIAMS—At the Nevada City Sanitarium, March 10, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams, a daughter.

POTTS—At the Nevada City Sanitarium, March 9, 1041, to Mr. and Mrs. Verle Potts, a daughter.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

STRAKA-WILLIAMS — In Reno, Nev., March 9, 1941 to John J. Straka and Betty Williams, both of Grass Valley.

PHILLIPS-HILL—In Reno, Nev., March 11, 1941, to Delbert Phillips, 18, and Mary B. Hill, 16, both of Grass Valley.

### DIVORCE

MOSER—In Nevada City, March 10, 1941, Mary C. Moser against Benjamin A. Moser; suit filed; ground, extreme cruelty.

### DEATHS

HENWOOD —In Nevada City, March 10, 1941, Mrs. Imogene M. Henwood, mother of Joyce and Clemente Henwood of Nevada City, daughter Mrs. Clemente Muscardini and William Curtis, sister of Mrs. Al Joyner of Grass Valley and Elisha and Cecil Curtis of Bowman; a native of this district, aged 41 years. The funeral services were held yesterday under the direction of the Holmes Funeral Home.

JAMES—In Nevada City, March 12, 1941, H. I. James, husband of Mrs. Myrtle James of Grass Valley and father of Sylvia James of Grass Valley; a native of Cornwall, England, resident of Nevada County ten years, aged 32 years. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary in Grass Valley.

KENNEDY—In Nevada City, Mar. 11, 1941, Joseph Keennedy, formerly of Truckee; aged 79 years. The funeral services were held today at the Holmes Funeral Home here with interment in the Pine Grove Cemetery. Rev. David Ralston of the Methodist Church officiated.

## School Term Opens In Camptonville

CAMPTONVILLE, March 13.—The Camptonville Union Grammar School and the Camptonville Branch of the Marysville Union High School started the spring term Monday with a good attendance, the pupils refreshed after the winter's vacation.

The same corps of teachers with W. C. Williams, principal and the high school teacher, Mrs. Grace Pauly, elementary department, and Mrs. Constance Pfiffer, primary department.

The two busses are operated by William A. Lang, who brings the children from Oak Valley and Celestial Valley and Leslie L. Shimer who brings them from Mill Creek.

## Kidnaping Suspect Taken Into Custody For Sacramento Police

A suspect in the kidnaping in Sacramento Tuesday of H. W. Hosmer, San Francisco salesman, was apprehended at Norden today and this afternoon was being questioned in the California Highway Patrol office in Hills Flat.

The suspect was taken into custody while purchasing groceries at the Norden store. Hosmer's car was found near Truckee this morning.

Hosmer told Sacramento police he was robbed of $25 and his automobile taken away from him after he was forced to drive two men for hours around Sacramento.

### PTA ELECTION

Election of officers will take place at the High School Parent Teachers Associaton meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the high school. Mrs. H. C. Neal, president, requests a full attendance of members to participate in the meeting and election.

## CAMPTONVILLE NOTES

CAMPTONVILLE, March 13.—Mrs. M. G. Calvin spent the week end visiting her daughter Mrs. L. L. Bishop at Oak Valley.

Guyla and Teddy Tabler arrived Sunday evening from Indian Valley to start to school Monday ,they are staying at the Hotel Francis at present.

Clarence E. Turner and Leonard L. Bishop motored to North San Juan Saturday evening on a brief visit.

Warren and Leland Pauly returned to Marysville Sunday evening after spending the week end at their home here.

Lee Bullington returned Tuesday from a few days visit with relatives at Wheatland.

Donald Jebb, Erle Pauly and Ray Knickram of Oakland and San Francisco spent the week end as guests of the Pauly home.

Mrs. Nellie Hinds and family returned Sunday from San Jose where they spent the past month visiting relatives.

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Festival Cut String Beans No. 2, 3 for ..... 25c
Large Tal Cans Del Monte Corn, 3 for ..... 27c
Jergens Toilet Soap, 4 bars for ..... 15c
Sweetheart Toilet Soap, 4 bars for ..... 19c
White Navy Borax Soap, Giant package ..... 45c
Regular package 1c —Both ..... 46c

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